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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) FY 2005

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(Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).) 10/049,488-Conf. #4085 Filed July 22, 2002 Application Number SAMPLING/DISPENSING DEVICE WITH PLUNGER AND HOUSING SET ONTO PLUNGER Art Unit 1743 Examiner J. M. Ludlow This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application. The requested extension and fee are as follows (check time period desired and enter the appropriate fee below): Fee Small Entity Fee \$120 60.00 One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) \$60 Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) \$450 \$225 Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) \$1020 \$510 Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) \$1590 \$795 \$ \$1080 Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) \$2160 Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account. The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 04-1105 . I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet. I am the applicant/inventor. assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96). attorney or agent of record. Registration Number attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34. Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34 October 26, 2005 Signature Date Gregory B. Butler, Ph.D. (617) 439-4444 Typed or printed name Telephone Number NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below. Total of forms are submitted.

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